

**REMARKS/ARGUMENTS**

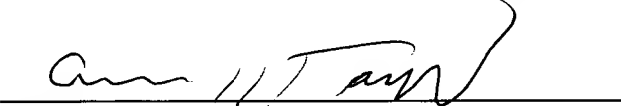
1. **Summary of the Office Action**

In response to the Examiner's restriction requirement under 35 U.S.C. § 1.21, applicants elect claims 1-22. Please cancel claims 23-26 without prejudice.

If there are any additional charges, please charge Deposit Account No. 02-2666. If a telephone interview would in any way expedite the prosecution of the present application, the Examiner is invited to contact Edwin H. Taylor at (408) 720-8300.

Respectfully submitted,  
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